

The Daily Courant.

Wednesday, November 27. 1717.

Votes of the House of Commons of Ireland.

Tuesday, November 14.

THE House, according to Order, resum'd the adjourn'd Consideration of the Report from the Committee appointed to take into Consideration the Petition of Ebenezer Warren, Esq; an Alderman of the City of Kilkenny, in Behalf of himself, and several other Aldermen, Common-Council-men, and Citizens of the said City, and the rest of the Report, and the Resolutions of the Committee, were read, and then the Resolutions were read a second time, and agreed to by the House, with some Amendments, and are as follow.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that Alderman Robert Connell was duly summon'd to appear before this Committee, and lay before them the Books of the Corporation of Kilkenny.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that after the Service of such Summons, the said Alderman Robert Connell own'd he did design to come to Dublin with the said Books, pursuant to the Order of the Committee.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that the said Alderman Robert Connell was in Dublin since the Service of the said Summons, and before the Day appointed for his Appearance.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that the said Robert Connell has willfully and contemptuously withdrawn himself, and concealed the said Books, in Order thereby to render the Proceedings and Enquiry of this Committee fruitless and ineffectual.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that the said Robert Connell, by having so withdrawn himself, and concealed the Corporation-Books of the City of Kilkenny, is guilty of a notorious Contempt of the Authority of this Committee, and of an high Crime and Misdemeanour.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that the House do resolve that Letters be given to the Heads of a Bill for punishing the said Robert Connell for such his Contempt, high Crime and Misdemeanour, in withdrawing himself, and concealing the Books of the said Corporation.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that Mr. Robert Sherrington has notoriously behaved himself, by insulting Mr. John Deferoy, a Member of the House of Commons, for his being given to this Committee.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Mr. Edward Murphy, by giving such Testimony in Relation to such Persons as drank, used, and other traitorous and other disloyal, and affected with great Integrity, Loyalty, and Oath, to his Majesty's Person and Government.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that Alderman Thomas Blount has notoriously and scandalously reflected on a Witness, for the Testimony given by him before this Committee.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Alderman Arthur Helliam has notoriously prevailed in his Testimony given before this Committee.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that the Petitioner Ebenezer Warren, Esq; hath fully proved the Allegations of his Petition.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that for several Years past, there hath been a Design form'd and carried on, to support a Jacobite, and discourage the Protestant Interest in the City of Kilkenny.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that in pursuance of the said Design, the Nominations of Persons to be elected Mayors of the said City, has been confined to the Aldermen only, exclusive of the Common-Council, contrary to the ancient Usage of the said City, in Order to procure the Election of Persons notoriously disaffected to his Majesty's Person and Government, and to the Succession in his Royal House.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that in further Pursuance of the said Design, Anthony Blunt, one of the Sheriffs of the said City, before his Admission into that Office, was obliged to subscribe a Paper, and take an Oath not to return any Jurors during the time of his being Sheriff, but such as should be approved of by John Birch, late Mayor of the said City, and Alderman Robert Connell, Town-Clerk.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that requiring the said Oath, tended to the manifest perverting of Justice, was a great Encouragement to the Papists, and other Enemies to his Majesty's Person and Government, and was design'd to render all Prosecutions against them ineffectual.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that Persons who stood Candidates to serve as Members of the said Corporation, were required to enter into Engagements to support and adhere to the said Jacobite and Popish Interest, and to vote for the Re-Election of such fit Magistrates as were known to be notoriously disaffected to his Majesty.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that in Order to support the said Jacobite Interest, there has been a notorious Misapplication of the publick Revenue of the said Corporation.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Alderman John Birch, late Mayor of the said City, was a principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Alderman Robert Connell, Town-Clerk of the said City, was a principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Edward Phillips, an Alderman of the said City, was principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that Thomas Blount, an Alderman of the said City, was principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that John Doyle, a Common-Council-man, and Deputy Town Clerk of the said City, was a principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that George Smith, a Freeman of the said City, was a principal Instrument in promoting the said Jacobite and Popish Interest.

Resolved, That it appears to this Committee, that the said Alderman Edward Phillips, Alderman Thomas Blount, Mr. John Doyle, Common-Council-man, and Mr. John Smith, Freeman, all of the said City of Kilkenny, have notoriously disaffected to his Majesty, and the Succession in his Royal House, and have affected such their Disaffection, by frequently publishing the Proclamations, and other traitorous and disloyal Treatises.

Ordered, That Letters be given to the Heads of a Bill, to punish the said John Birch, Edward Phillips, Robert Connell, Thomas Blount, Alderman John Doyle, a Common-Council-man, and George Smith, a Freeman, all of the said City, and for punishing the said Robert Connell, by withdrawing himself, and concealing the Books and Papers of the said Corporation of Kilkenny, and for punishing the said Corporation, and the said Mr. Birch, Mr. Phillips, Coll. Warren, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Arthur Helliam, and Mr. Oliver George, do prepare and bring in the same.

Ordered, That the said Robert Sherrington be taken into Custody of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House, for his notorious Misdemeanour in insulting Mr. Deferoy, for the Testimony by him given before the said Committee.

Ordered, That the said Thomas Blount be taken into Custody of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House, for notoriously and scandalously reflecting on a Witness for the Testimony by him given before the said Committee.

Ordered, That the said Arthur Helliam be taken into Custody of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House, for his notorious Prevarication in his Testimony before the said Committee.

It appearing by the said Report, that the Committee had summon'd the said John Doyle to attend and give his Testimony, and that he had disobey'd their Summons.

Ordered, That the said John Doyle be, for the said Contempt, taken into Custody of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House.

Resolved Nam. Con. That the Thanks of this House be given by Mr. Speaker to Ebenezer Warren, Esq; a Member of this House, for the great and seasonable Services he has done the Publick, in detecting the several Corruptions, and notorious Jacobite Proceedings of Alderman John Birch, and several other Aldermen, Common-Council-men, and Members of the said City of Kilkenny.

And Mr. Speaker gave him the Thanks of the House accordingly.

Wednesday, Nov. 15. Mr. Chaigneau reported from the Committee appointed to draw up an Address to his Majesty, That they had drawn up an Address accordingly, which he read in his Place, and after delivered in at the Table, where the same was again read, and after.

afterwards read Paragraph by Paragraph, and agreed to by the House with some Amendments.

Resolved, Nem. Con. That the said Address do stand the Address of this House to His Majesty.

Resolved, That this House with their Speaker do attend his Grace the Lord Lieutenant with the said Address, and desire the same may be laid before His Majesty as the Address of this House.

Ordered, That such Members of this House as are of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council do attend his Grace the Lord Lieutenant, and desire to know his Pleasure when he will be attended with the said Address.

A Message from the Lords by the Lord Chief Justice Forster, and Mr. Justice Dolben. That the Lords have pass'd a Bill Entitled, An Act for taking away the Oath, commonly called the Little Oath, on Members of Corporations by the New Rules; to which they desire the Concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read the first Time.

Which was done accordingly, and ordered to be read a second time to Morrow Morning.

An Engross'd Bill Entitled, An Act for continuing to His Majesty an Additional Duty on all Wine and Strong-Waters and Spirits perfectly made, and upon all Spirits made and distilled of Wine, and also Tax on all Salaries, Profits of Employments, Fees and Pensions therein mentioned, and for granting a further Additional Duty on Ale, Beer, and Strong-Waters, and Spirits perfectly made, and upon all Spirits made and distilled of Wine, and for securing the Payment of 500000*l.* Sterling, formerly advanced into His Majesty for the Use of the Publick, together with the Interest thereof, was read the third Time.

Resolved, Nem. Con. That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer to carry the said Bill to the Lords, and acquaint them that this House hath pass'd the same, and desire their Concurrence thereunto.

Ordered, That a Committee be appointed to consider of the most proper Method to be observ'd from time to time by the Accountant General in stating the Publick Accounts to be laid before this House.

And a Committee was appointed accordingly.

Mr. Tighe, according to Order, presented to the House Heads of a Bill, for Disfranchising John Birch, Edward Phillips, Robert Connell, and Thomas Blount, Aldermen, John Doyle, a Common-Council-man, and George Spith, a Freeman, all of the City of Kilkeny, and for punishing the said Robert Connell, for withdrawing himself with the Books and Papers belonging to the Corporation of the said City, and for the better regulating the said Corporation, which were received and read, and committed to a Committee of the whole House to Morrow Morning.

From the Scots Courant.

Perth, Oct. 30. This being the Anniversary of the Birth Day of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, William Dawson Provost, accompanied with the rest of the Magistrates, Robert Dundas of Granghill, John Cuthbert, Esq. Collectors of the Customs at Inverness, Mr. Pagit Inspector General of the Customs, and several other Royal Gentlemen of the Neighbourhood, firm Friends to his Majesty and Government, went to the Cross, where they sang the Health of the Day, the King, the Princess, and the Royal Nursery; the Duke of Argyle, the Lord Townshend, Mr. Walpole, and all the true Friends of the Protestant Succession. Thereafter the Company went to the Town House, where the Health of many other Healths were repeated, the Health of the Day being always adjoined to each Health. The Night ended with ringing of Bells, Illuminations, Bonfires, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

London, November 27.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 115*l.* to 114*l.* Bank 147 3 qrs. to 147 one qr. India 200, to African 40.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

At the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Wednesday, being the 27th of November, will be presented, a Comedy, call'd the Double Gallant, or the Sick Lady's Cure. Sir Solomon Sadlee Mr. Johnson, Clermont Mr. Booth, Sir all Mr. Cibber, Careless Mr. Wilks, Jun. Old Mr. Willott Mr. Miller, Lady Dainty Mrs. Oldfield, Lady Sadlee Mrs. Bicknell, Clarinda Mrs. Mountfort, Silvia Mrs. Fintlow, Willwell Mrs. Sanders. With Dancing by Mrs. Santlow, and a new Dance by Mr. Linder, a Scholar of Mr. Shireley's.

By the Company of Comedians.

At the Theatre in Little-Lincoln's-Inn, this present Wednesday, being the 27th of November, will be presented a Dramatick Opera call'd, The Prophetess, or the History of Dioclesian. With all the original Musick compos'd by the late Mr. Henry Purcell, and to be performed by Mr. Leveridge, Mr. Cook, Mr. Newberry, Mr. Reading, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Jones, and others. Particularly, the part of Psechus by Mr. Leveridge. With Scenes, Machines, Dances, and all the other Decorations proper to the Play. Boxes 5*l.* Pit 3*l.* First Gallery 2*l.* And to Morrow being Thursday (at the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality) will be presented a Comedy, call'd the Roly-Poly.

Whereas on the 20th of October last, there was 50*l.* paid at the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, for Three Months Annuity upon Two Orders of 100*l.* each, for Two Lives, No 958, and 959, issuing out of 3700*l.* per Week, Excheq. due at Michaelmas last, in the Name of John Waller, Gent. which Orders are now missing, and as the said John Waller affirms, that his Name to the Receipt [given for the Annuity above said, and witnessed by Jo. Johnson] is not of his Hand-writing, but forged. Therefore, if any Person or Persons will come to any of the Offices of the Four Tellers of the said Receipt of Exchequer, and discover how and by whom the said Fraud and Forgery was committed, shall receive as a Reward for the same 20 Guineas and reasonable Charges. N.B. And if more than one Person is concerned in the Fraud, if any one of the Accomplices will discover the rest, shall not only have the Reward, but not be prosecuted for the Misdemeanor. Lane, Burton.

Whereas on Saturday the 23d Instant, between the Hours of 2 and 6 a-Clock in the Morning, a House in Fen-Court in Fenchurch-Street, was broke open, out of which were taken several Pieces of Plate mark'd 1 W. and some wearing Livery of the like Mark, with other Linnen mark'd P.B. or P. If any Person or Persons concern'd in the said Robbery, will discover his Accomplices to Jonathan Wild over-against the Duke of Grafton's Head in the Old-Baily, so that they may be brought to Justice for the same, shall receive as a Reward from the said Wild, the Sum of Ten Pounds, besides the Benefit of the Statute provided for Criminals in such Cases.

A Weekly Consort of Musick, far beyond any before in this Kingdom, is intended to be weekly perform'd at less than half the usual Rates, yet 200 poor Children will be Cloath'd, taught School-Learning and the Mathematics, and put out to Apprenticeship out of the Profits thereof arising. All the Money for the Tickets will be dispos'd of by Directors chosen by the Subscribers, and none of it be paid to, or pass through the Author's Hands, notwithstanding which, he will be at the whole Charge of establishing the Undertaking. Notice will be soon given where Tickets and Proposals may be had.

Bibliotheca Doolittleana: A Catalogue of the Books contain'd in the Library of the late Reverend Mr. Samuel Doolittle, of Reading in the County of Berks, being a Collection of curious and uncommon Books in several Languages, in Hebrew, Greek, Latin, and English. Which will be sold by Auction, at the Crown Coffee-house in Threadneedle-Street behind the Royal-Exchange, beginning this Day, being the 27th Instant, at 5 a-Clock in the Evening exactly, and continue till all are sold. By Thomas Bickerton, Bookseller, at the Rose and Crown in Little-Britain, where Catalogues may be had gratis; and at the Place of Sale. Beginning Page 19. English Office.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

At the Rainbow Coffee-house near Birch-lane in Cornhill, a Curious Collection of Original Pictures by several Italian, Dutch, Flemish, and other Masters, this Day and To-morrow, being the 27th and 28th Instant. The Pictures are now ready for View till the time of Sale, which will begin at 5 of the Clock in the Afternoon, where Catalogues may be had.

At Tom's Coffee-house over-against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill, is to be sold the best Citron-Water that ever was brought from Barbados, or any part of the West-Indies; it has the Citron Flowers in it. It is put up in Glass full Pint Bottles, the Price but 12*s.* the Quart, the Bottles holding full Measure. Note, An Allowance shall be made of one Bottle in 12, to those that buy a Quantity.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

At the Marlborough Coffee-house the Corner of Great Marlborough-Street, To-morrow and Friday, being the 28th and 29th Instant, a Curious Collection of Original Pictures, by several Italian, Dutch, Flemish, French and English Masters, being the remaining and best Part of the Collection of a Gentleman that is going to live abroad. The Pictures are now ready for View, and will continue so till the time of Sale, which will begin at Five in the Afternoon precisely each Day, where Catalogues may be had.

New Wines, Wholesale and Retail.

At a Vault the Corner of Southampton-Buildings, against Gray's-Inn Gate in Holborn, the following Wines of the best Growths are to be sold for the Importer, viz. Red and white Port 4*l.* 5*s.* 4*d.* per Gallon; Lisbon and Mountain at 6*s.* Cherry and Canary at 7*s.* 6*d.* per Gallon. Good Red Wine (perfect sound) at 4*s.* per Gallon. Right Cognac Brandy at 10*s.* per Gallon, and Bourdeaux at 9*s.* per Gallon. With Encouragement to Retailers.

Newly publish'd.

An Answer to the Representation drawn up by the Committee of the Lower-House of Convocation, concerning several Dangerous Positions and Doctrines contain'd in the Bishop of Bangor's Prefervative and Sermon. By Benjamin, Lord Bishop of Bangor. Printed for James Knapton at the Crown, and Timothy Child at the White Hart in St. Paul's Church-Yard. Price bound 4*s.*

This Day is publish'd, the 2d Edition of, The Grounds of Civil and Ecclesiastical Government briefly Consider'd. By John Jackson, Rector of Ruffington in Yorkshire. To which is added, A Defence of the Bishop of Bangor, against the Objections of Mr. Law. Printed for J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard. Price 1*s.*

Just Published.

A Poem to Her Royal Highness, on the Birth of the Prince. By Mr. Euden. Printed for Jacob Tonson at Shakespeare's Head against Catherine Street in the Strand.

Just Published.

The Arraignment and Tryal of the late Reverend Mr. Thomas Rusewell, for High-Treason, before the Lord Chief Justice Jefferies, at the Court of King's Bench, Westminster, in the Year 1644. And the Arguments offer'd in Arraignment by his Learned Counsel. To which is prefix'd an Account of his Life and Death. Publish'd by Samuel Rusewell, A.M. Printed for John Clark, at the Bible and Crown; and Richard Ford, at the Angel, both in the Poultrey.

Just Published.

A Defence of the Propositions contain'd in the Lord Bishop of Bangor's Sermon, from Page xi. to Page xvii. And also, of what is said in his Prefervative, concerning Real Sincerity, and our Title to the Favour of God. By Daniel Whitby, D. D. and Chantor of the Cathedral Church of Sarum. Printed for J. Knapton, at the Crown in St. Paul's Church Yard; Price 1*s.*

